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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

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Walter W. Thiemann,

Case No. C-1-00-793 ST ENVIOLED NAME OF THE CASE NO. C-1-00-793

on behalf of himself and of

Judge Sandra S. Beckwith

all others similarly situated.

Plaintiff,

Magistrate Judge Hogan

VS.

PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR

A BRIEF EXTENSION OF TIME

TO FILE A RESPONSE TO THE

OHSL AND PROVIDENT

DEFENDANTS MOTION FOR

LEAVE TO FILE

SUPPLEMENTAL MATERIAL

(DOC. NO. 316)

OHSL Financial Corporation, et al.

Defendants.

Plaintiffs respectfully move this Court for a brief extension of time to respond to the Motion of the OHSL and Provident Defendants for Leave to Submit Supplemental Material in Opposition to Class Certification (Doc. No. 316). The brief extension of time had been agreed to by the Defendants and a Stipulation was submitted. The stipulation was rejected by the Court, which informed Defendants (who had filed the Stipulation as a courtesy to the Plaintiffs) that such an extension must be by motion. Plaintiffs, who learned of the rejection of the stipulation only on the afternoon of 17 May 2004, now respectfully submit this motion. A brief extension of time to respond to this document is necessary due to scheduling conflicts with Plaintiffs' counsel, and the need to prepare and take depositions that have been scheduled in this case. This motion is supported by the Affidavit of Michael G. Brautigam.

Respectfully Submitted,

GENE MESH & ASSOCIATES

Dated: 18 May 2004

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Motion for a Brief Extension of Time was served this 18th day of May 2004 as follows:

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